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## CHAPTER II

Preliminary Classification:  
Proposed Class:  
Subclass:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER  
TO THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)  
(ENTRY INTO U.S. NATIONAL PHASE UNDER CHAPTER II)**

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International Application No.	International Filing Date	Priority Date Claimed

RECREATION ROOM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE ATMOSPHERE IN THE  
ROOM

Title of Invention

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1. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office (EO/US) the following items under 35 U.S.C. § 371:
  - a. This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. § 371(f)).

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- b. The U.S. Basic National Fee (35 U.S.C. § 371(a)) and other fees (37 C.F.R. § 1.492) as indicated below:

2. Fees

<b>NATIONAL STAGE FEES*</b>	Basic filing fee * \$300.00 Examination fee \$200.00 Search fee \$500.00				\$
<b>CLAIMS FEE*</b>	(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	\$
	<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>	20 - 20 =	0	x \$ 50.00 =	\$0.00
	<b>INDEPENDENT CLAIMS</b>	3 - 3 =	0	x \$ 200.00 =	\$0.00
	<b>MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)</b> (if applicable)			+ \$ 360.00	\$0.00
	Basic filing fee* \$300.00				\$300.00
	Examination fee				\$200.00
	All other situations \$200.00				\$200.00
	Search fee \$500.00				\$400.00
	International Search Report prepared and provided to the Office \$400.00				\$400.00
<b>ADDITIONAL PAGES</b>	Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing or computer program listing filed in an electronic medium). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof				
	Total Sheets 28	Extra Sheets -72	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (rounded up to a whole number)	250.00	\$0.00
	-+Total of above Calculations				= \$900.00
<b>SMALL ENTITY</b>	Applicant hereby claims small entity status. 37 C.F.R. 1.27. The above fees are reduced by 50%				- \$450.00
	Subtotal				\$450.00
	Total National Fee				\$450.00
	Fee for recording the enclosed assignment document \$40.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)). See Item 13 below). See attached "ASSIGNMENT COVER SHEET".				\$0.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	Total Fees enclosed				\$450.00

Attached is a check in the amount of \$450.00.

Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0450.

**Assertion of Small Entity Status**

Applicant hereby asserts status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

3. A copy of the International application as filed (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) has been transmitted by the International Bureau.

Date of mailing of the application (from form PCT/IB/308): 17 June 2004

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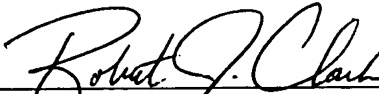
4. A translation of the International application into the English language (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(2)) will follow.
5. Amendments to the claims of the International application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) have not been transmitted. Applicant chose not to make amendments under PCT Article 19.

Date of mailing of Search Report (from form PCT/ISA/210): 6 April 2004.

6. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (38 U.S.C. § 371(c)(3)) has not been transmitted for reasons indicated at 5. above.
7. A copy of the international examination report (PCT/IPEA/409) is not yet available.
8. Annex(es) to the international preliminary examination report are not yet available.
9. A translation of the annexes to the international preliminary examination report is not available for reasons indicated at 8. above.
10. An **UNSIGNED** oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. § 371(c)(4)) complying with 35 U.S.C. § 115 is submitted herewith, and such oath or declaration identifies the application and any amendments under PCT Article 19 that were transmitted as stated in points 3(b) or 3(c) and 5(b); and states that they were reviewed by the inventor as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.70.
- II. Other document(s) or information included:
  11. An International Search Report (PCT/ISA/210) or Declaration under PCT Article 17(2)(a) is transmitted herewith.
  12. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 will be transmitted within THREE MONTHS of the date of submission of requirements under 35 U.S.C. § 371(c).
  13. Additional documents:
    - a. Copy of request (PCT/RO/101)
    - b. International Publication No. WO 2004/050003
      - i. Specification, claims and drawings
    - c. Form PCT/IB/308
  14. The above items are being transmitted before 30 months from any claimed priority date.

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VERIFICATION OF TRANSLATION

I, Michael Wallace Richard Turner, Bachelor of Arts, Chartered Patent Attorney, European Patent Attorney, of 1 Horsefair Mews, Romsey, Hampshire SO51 8JG, England, do hereby declare that I am conversant with the English and German languages and that I am a competent translator thereof;

I verify that the attached English translation is a true and correct translation made by me of the attached specification in the German language of International Application PCT/EP03/13599;

I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment or both under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Date: May 23, 2005

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